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In re Application of:

Hartmut STROBEL et al.

Application No.: 10/073,307

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ACYLATED 1,2,3,4-For:

> TETRAHYDRONAPHTHYL AMINES AND THEIR USE AS PHARMACEUTICAL AGENTS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action dated March 20, 2003, the period for response extended to September 20, 2003, by the accompanying petition and fee, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and reexamination of this application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

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